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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**For FY 2005**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) **0.00****Complete if Known**

Application Number	10/630,241
Filing Date	July 30, 2003
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Attorney Docket No.	Serie 5856

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
21	- 27	= 0	x 50 = 0			
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20						
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
2	- 3	= 0	x 200 = 0			
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3						

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

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Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 100 =		/ 50 =	(round up to a whole number) x	

**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

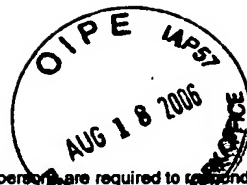
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<b>PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD</b>						Application or Docket Number <b>10/630,241 (Serie 5856)</b>	
Substitute for Form PTO-875							
<b>APPLICATION AS FILED - PART I</b>							
7/30/03		(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NUMBER FILED			NUMBER EXTRA			
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a), (b), or (c))	N/A			N/A			
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.16(k), (l), or (m))	N/A			N/A			
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.16(o), (p), or (q))	N/A			N/A			
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(i))	15	minus 20 =	0				
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))	2	minus 3 =	0				
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(s))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).						
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))							
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.							
<b>APPLICATION AS AMENDED - PART II</b>							
6/22/05		(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)	
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA				
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(i))	27	Minus	20	=	7	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))	2	Minus	3	=	0	
	Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))						
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))						
10/31/05		(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)	
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA				
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(i))	27	Minus	27	=	0	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))	2	Minus	3	=	0	
	Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))						
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))						

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<b>CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I</b>							
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))							
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))		minus 20 =	*	X	=	X	=
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))		minus 3 =	*	X	=	X	=
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+	=	+	=
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.				TOTAL		TOTAL	
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II</b>							
5/18/06 (Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
<b>AMENDMENT C</b>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	**	X	=	X	=
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	***	X	=	X	=
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	=	+	=
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
8/15/06 (Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
<b>AMENDMENT D</b>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	**	X	=	X	=
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	***	X	=	X	=
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	=	+	=
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
<b>AMENDMENT E</b>	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	**	X	=	X	=
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	***	X	=	X	=
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	=	+	=
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

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